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CONSUMER

2:00 04/03/2006 5:30PM

Furniture Buy Direct

Karen Simmons purchased furniture through the online company. When it hadn't arrived she started questioning. She found out the manufacturer never got her order and when she couldn't get a refund - she called 5 on Your Side. We called and they immediately issued a refund.

2:00 04/05/2006 5:30PM

iPOD Speakers

With the popularity of the iPods, Consumer Reports tested speakers. For the best boom, you'll pay \$250 for the Altec Lansing in Motion IM7.

2:00 04/06/2006 5:30PM

La-z-boy

Customer saw an ad in the paper for a great deal on couch and loveseat. When she went to honor it, they told her the price over the particular couch in the picture wasn't the price for the pictured couch. In fact, the actual price was much more expensive. Five On Your Side investigates and shares findings in this report.

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Wake Restaurants

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to Wake county inspectors.

2:00 04/10/2006 5:30PM

Shredder Danger

5 On Your Side's Monica Laliberte looks at one family's heartbreaking story regarding the danger of paper shredders and how children and animals can be scarred for life.

2:00 04/11/2006 5:30PM

Nail Files

5 on Your Side's Monica Laliberte reports on the nail salon inspections for this month and shares their grade.

2:00 04/12/2006 5:30PM

Civic Center Refund

A Zebulon man paid the civic center in full for his parents' anniversary party. However, six weeks prior to event his father had a stroke and they wanted to cancel the party getting all but the deposit back. The owner wouldn't agree. Five On Your Side investigates and shares findings in this report.

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Carnival Refund

George Inglis' wife died in an accident on the way to the airport to catch her flight for the cruise. Carnival denied George's initial request for a refund, but after our calls granted the refund.

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Financial Documents

Consumer Reports reviews the documents you can feel comfortable throwing out. For example, old pay stubs, electric bills and bank statements - after a year. You want to keep tax returns for seven and any

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receipts you deduct on your taxes for seven as well.

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Missing \$\$ Collopy

We called Collopy to let him know he had money with the State Treasurer's Office. He thinks it came from an old insurance policy.

2:00 04/19/2006 5:30PM

Headlight Hype

Consumer Reports looks at the newer high intensity discharge lights or "HID" lights for newer cars.

2:00 04/20/2006 5:30PM

Online Travel Deals

Consumer Reports just put travel sites - Hotwire and Priceline - to the test against each other. They are known to be cheaper than the larger ones like Travelocity and Expedia.

2:00 04/21/2006 5:30PM

Orange Restaurants

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to Orange county inspectors.

2:00 04/24/2006 5:30PM

French Fry Power

Consumer Reports talked to a man who runs his car on French fry oil. He says he saves about 6,000 a year by using the vegetable oil.

2:00 04/25/2006 5:30PM

Deciphering Diesel

Most people think - big truck - when it comes to diesel. But car manufacturers are making diesel cars now. It's a little more expensive than gas, but you use less. Drawbacks are the slow acceleration and the concern for environment.

2:00 04/26/2006 5:30PM

Multi-vitamins

Consumer Reports looks at whether we need multi-vitamins in addition to diet and which ones are best.

2:00 04/27/2006 5:30PM

Horse Bite

A Wake county man visited Colonial Williamsburg. While near the horses, he was bitten in the chest. Colonial Williamsburg didn't want to pay for the medical bills he sought upon his return. However, after our call, they immediately reimbursed the hospital.

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Restaurants by Request

We ask viewers which sanitation reports they want to hear for which restaurants.

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Deacon Jones

A couple purchased a used car and 25 minutes after driving it off the lot it was engulfed in flames. The dealership offered to put them in a new car, but wouldn't cancel the deal. The customer had to file it with

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their insurance as a comp claim.

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Pedicure Follow

5 On Your Side's Monica Laliberte talks to women who've gotten an infection from a dirty foot spa at a nail salons.

2:00 05/03/2006 5:30PM

Property Tax Dilemma

A Wake county couple was getting property tax bills for property they'd already sold. We talked to the Department of Revenue and learned new legislation is supposed to be put into place that will help the thousands of homeowners in this boat every year.

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Stubborn Packaging

Consumer Reports looks at stubborn packaging of various products.

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Cordless Drills

Consumer Reports put cordless drills to the test.

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We ask viewers which restaurants they want to hear sanitation reports for and in this report we share the findings.

2:00 05/06/2006 5:30PM

Medical Privacy

Consumer Reports explores how keeping medical records electronically, as opposed to on paper, can be risky.

2:00 05/07/2006 5:30PM

Missing Money

We called Nelson Bunn to let him know he had unclaimed cash with the state. His surprise was priceless and with kids in college and on the way, he knows he'll put the cash to good use.

2:00 05/08/2006 5:30PM

Golf Balls

Consumer Reports looks at how golf balls are NOT one in the same.

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Hearing Aid Refund

Wilton Flemming ordered hearing aids from Crystal Ear Hearing Devices. When the order didn't arrive as expected, he asked for a full refund. After our calls to the company, they finally issued a \$777 check.

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Glass Table Danger

Several incidents of children and adults getting hurt from glass tables breaking. Consumer Reports looks at whether glass coffee tables should be made out of tempered glass to keep accidents from being as

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severe.

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Cordless Vacs

Consumer Reports put cordless vacs to the test to determine just how well they clean up a mess and at what price.

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April Nail Files

5 On Your Side's Monica Laliberte reports on salon sanitation for the month of April.

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0% Financing

Consumer Reports warns that "zero percent interest" touted by credit cards is not always as 'free' as it appears. If you do decide to get a zero-percent credit card, avoid transfer fees, do not use them for new purchases, and pay them off quickly, before the zero-interest rate runs out.

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Restaurants By Request

We ask viewers which restaurants they want to hear about and get the inspection reports from respective counties.

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Hot Grills

Consumer Reports looks at how to make sure you're getting what you pay for in a stainless steel grill. Also, how to keep it clean so that it LOOKS as good as what you paid for.

2:00 05/17/2006 5:30PM

All Decked Out

Teresa Shores ordered a hot tub from All Decked Out. However, when it stopped working weeks after delivery, she couldn't get the problem resolved. The company told her they weren't carrying the original line anymore and she'd have to take another brand that was smaller. After our calls to the company, they fixed her first tub.

2:00 05/18/2006 5:30PM

NC Furniture Buy Direct Follow

Troy Greenwald purchased a \$600 couch from the online furniture store. When it hadn't arrived in the estimated 12 weeks and he was told it would be 12 MORE weeks, he canceled and requested a refund. When he didn't get his money, he called 5 On Your Side.

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Wake, Durham And Johnston Restaurants

5 on your Side's Monica Laliberte has the best and worst scoring restaurants according to Wake, Durham and Johnston counties.

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Restaurants By Request		
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Debit Card Savings		
Consumer Reports looks at Bank of America's "keep the change" card. They round up your purchases to the dollar and put the extra in a savings account. However, the interest rate is only .5 AND if you can only earn up to \$250 a year. More details are shared in this Five On Your Side report.		
2:00	05/23/2006	5:30PM
Jackson And Hewitt		
A Wake county woman paid the company to have her taxes prepared. However, when the refund came...she says someone else picked it up from their office. Jackson and Hewitt says she picked it up, but will let the banks do their investigations.		
2:00	05/24/2006	5:30PM
401k Online		
A Wake county man had ~60,000 in an online 401K that his small business was a part of. However, when the company folded, so did his balance without explanation. After our calls to the company, they returned his money and said the funds were actually sold.		
2:00	05/25/2006	5:30PM
Pool Alarm Danger		
Consumer Reports looks at how well pool alarms - to let you know if someone has fallen in really works. They found some were quite concerning considering their delay in reacting or not reacting at all.		
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Lawn Mowers		
Consumer Reports puts the latest in lawn mowers to the test.		
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Car Repair Act		
Tiffany Cogdell took her car to Precision Tune for transmission repair. She was expected to pay \$100, but when the bill was over \$900 she called 5 On Your Side. The company agreed to reimburse her the bill saying they did nothing wrong. Five On Your Side looks at the details in this report.		
2:00	05/31/2006	5:30PM
Insect Repellents		
Consumer Reports looks at the best insect repellents for the season.		
2:00	06/01/2006	5:30PM
Rubber Mulch		
Consumer Reports looked at rubber mulch to see how it compared to wood mulch. They found it didn't blow around as much as wood mulch AND blocked weeds just as well.		
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Restaurants		

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The best and worst scoring restaurants according to food sanitation inspectors.

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Direct TV

Mark Adkins had DirecTV for 11 years until the beginning of May when his service was abruptly cut off. He was told it was due to 'questionable identity' and that he'd have to wait four weeks for additional information. After our calls to the company, service was restored.

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Medical Privacy

Consumer Reports reviews the importance of protecting privacy as digital medical records become more pervasive.

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Missing Money

We called Nelson Bunn to let him know the state was holding \$4500 of his money. He thinks it was from an insurance company he'd previously been with.

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Nail Files

5 On Your Side's Monica Laliberte highlights the sanitation reports for May's salon inspections.

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Wake Restaurants

The best and worst scoring restaurants based on Wake county inspections.

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Golf Balls

Consumer Reports says not all golf balls are one in the same. Your skill level can dictate what type of ball you should use.

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Beyond Fitness Shut Down

The Waverly location of Beyond Fitness in Cary was locked up to owners and members because of failure to pay rent.

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Beyond Fitness Folo

The mother of the owner called us to say her son was no longer an owner of the gym. Five On Your Side follows-up on this story and shares its findings in this report.

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Lousy Tech Support

Consumer Reports reiterates that most manufacturers' tech support leaves a lot to be desired. They suggest consider getting help from family and friends or using an independent company.

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Overgrown Lot

An owner of a daycare called us after failed attempts to get her neighbor's abandoned lawn mowed. We

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got in touch with the owner who thought it was the bank's responsibility since they now owned it. Five On Your Side investigates further and shares its findings in this report.

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Pre-paid wireless

Consumer Reports looks at pre-paid wireless phones costing from \$30 - \$100. It's a good deal from infrequent cell phone user. You get the biggest bang for your buck the more minutes you buy up front. However, Five On Your Side shares more about pre-paid wireless pros and cons in this report.

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Deck Stains

Consumer Reports put deck stains to the test.

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String Trimmers

Consumer Reports put string trimmers to the test.

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Arthritis Supplements

Consumer Reports found there is only one supplement worth trying for osteoarthritis and that's glucosamine chondroitin. Results are mixed and Five On Your Side shares those findings in this report.

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Online steaks

Consumer Reports put online companies that sell steaks to the test.

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Weekly Restaurants

The best and worst scoring restaurants according to county inspectors.

EDUCATION

2:00 04/02/2006 5PM

Teacher Assaulted

A middle school student is accused of hitting his teacher and ripping off her shirt. His mother says her son DID hit the teacher...but was fighting back. Jason Stoogenke has more on the case.

2:00 04/18/2006 6PM

Chatham County Board Of Elections

Members of the Chatham County Board of Elections could find themselves in court soon! This is a follow-up to a story we told you about last month.

2:00 04/21/2006 11PM

Teachers Not Qualified

No Child Left Behind legislation under President Bush built a reputation for holding schools accountable when students didn't perform at grade level. Now teachers are finding themselves subject to the standard in a way they didn't expect.

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Book Debate

A girl is raped in the movie and in the book. A parents group wants these three books taken off the Wake County school system's required reading list for middle and high school students: *Beloved*, *The Chocolate War*, and *The Color Purple*.

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Port Security

This massive ship from southeast Asia docks at the Wilmington Port stacked with thousands of metal containers. Each is SUPPOSED to be filled with foreign commercial goods...frozen poultry, furniture, clothing. In this report, WRAL shares more about what is actually inside these containers.

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Year Round School

Impossible scheduling, lack of choice, an educational experiment... Those are some of the complaints from a group FIGHTING mandatory year-round schools. Wake County's school board says the move is needed to a bond proposal under a billion dollars. This report shares more details on this story.

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Year Round Polls

Voters are split when it comes to whether year-round schools should be mandatory or optional. That's according to a poll conducted this week for WRAL and the News and Observer. But factor in taxes and it's a different story. As Kelcey Carlson reports, our poll shows voters overwhelmingly prefer mandatory year-round to avoid a property tax hike.

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Henderson Developments

Hundreds of people from school age children to seniors didn't pass up the chance to stand on the spot of Henderson's Future -- an eight million dollar public library that impressed State Treasurer Richard Moore to borrow words from an old Andy Griffith Show.

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Year Round Schools

How much will it cost to educate the growing number of students coming into Wake County every year? Are mandatory year-round schools part of the equation? These are the questions the Wake County School Board has been wrestling with late into the evening with input from parents, many of whom oppose the year-round schedule. WRAL's Amanda Lamb has more from the School Board Offices in Raleigh.

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NOON

School Fire

Four teenagers are now charged with setting fire to a large abandoned school building in Wayne County. WRAL's Mike Charbonneau shares more from Wayne County.

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Gun On Bus In Durham

When the CW Stanford Baseball team boarded the bus for a tournament on April the 29th-- there was a delay-- a hold up you could say. WRAL shares more in this report.

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School Bonds

The parents who showed up to protest mandatory year-round were persuasive. The school board altered its bond proposal to just over a billion. It has fewer year round conversions--with a slightly higher tax hike. But there are parents, lots of them, who support more mandatory year round especially if it means

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avoiding higher taxes.

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Mtg About The Lottery

At 8:30 this morning, the Wake School Board and County Commissioners will meet to go over the new plan. The plan calls for a 1.06 BILLION dollar bond to be put on the ballot. And although it is higher amount than was proposed, many parents are happy with it.

2:00 05/17/2006 5PM

Year Round Opposition

When parents lined up to oppose mandatory year round... Lee Perry felt their pain. She fought Wake County Schools when her kids were assigned to a year-round school.

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Support For The Bond

Sean Fitts does not support the new school bond package A recent poll shows he's one of a majority of people who would vote down a bond of over a billion dollars in November. So how will the School Board convince people like Fitts the bond is the best bet?

2:00 05/18/2006 NOON

Coach Drug Charges

Carlton Wrencher worked at Union Pines High School in Moore County. He was an attendance officer and girl's basketball coach. However, he's not anymore.

2:00 05/18/2006 5PM

School Drug Charges

School attendance officers are SUPPOSED to crack down on students who cut class. Now, an attendance officer is in trouble himself! Jason Stoogenke reports the man is off the job and faces criminal charges.

2:10 05/19/2006 5PM

Year Round Explainer

Simply put, year-round schools work by freeing up MORE desks for MORE students. Some kids are in class when others are out. There are four different groups of students on FOUR DIFFERENT schedules.

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Wake Commissioners Mtg

Five and a half months. That's how long Wake County leaders have to sell the public on a billion dollar bond package for schools. This week, County Commissioners approved the one point zero six billion dollar plan after hours of debate. WRAL shares more in this report.

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Teacher Sex

44 year old Janet Klatt taught world history at a prestigious private school near Charlotte. She's now charged with having sex with a 16 year old male student during an overnight field trip to Raleigh. Investigators say it happened at the Clarion Hotel on Hillsborough Street. There is no evidence that the boy was forced to have sex.

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Cumberland Student Honors

It's a special day for some Cumberland County students. This evening the school board will honor more than 300 students. They will be recognized for various honors. The ceremony takes place at the Westover High School Auditorium in Fayetteville.

2:00 05/24/2006 5PM

Franklin Bonds

Building new schools isn't cheap, especially for a school system that could grow by forty thousand more students in the next five years.

2:00 05/29/2006 6PM

Tracking Growth

Wake Schools started the project about a year and a half ago. Projections for schools in 2010 will be ready at the end of June. NC State researchers work on more than 30 school systems across the state. Wake County is definitely their biggest project.

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EOG Retesting

Students at Lucile Souders Elementary School in Fayetteville thought they finished end of grade tests. Their parents thought so too until recent news from the school.

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Masking Tape Lawsuit

The Durham school system faces a lawsuit involving masking tape. Wendell and Duchess Tabb claim a teacher used a piece of tape on their son's mouth to keep him quiet. Emmanuel Tabb has cerebral palsy and he's blind in one eye. He also suffers from asthma. His parents filed a lawsuit in federal court against teacher Jill Mitchell, the principal of Hope Valley Elementary, the Durham school board and the superintendent.

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Lottery Schools

North Carolinians are spending BIG hoping to win Big. The state lottery makes more than 2 MILLION dollars in sales every day! And Schools are battling to get their share!

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Kindergarten Start Time

Are children ready for kindergarten at age 4? Some state leaders say NO...and they want to change the law. Currently, North Carolina allows children who turn 5 by October 16 to enter kindergarten. A new bill would push back that cut-off date to August 31st thus disqualifying most 4 year olds. Supporters argue the change will ensure more students are ready for school.

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Students Return

Some Durham students will be back in familiar surroundings this morning! Classes will be held at Oak Grove Elementary for the first time since mercury was discovered there last week. EPA teams from Atlanta spent Memorial Day weekend cleaning the school after the scare.

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Future Of Hillside High		
The future of Hillside High School in Durham is up for discussion tonight. The Board of Education is holding a community forum at 7 at the school. School leaders will listen to comments about the low performing status of the school.		
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School Employee Sex Charges		
A Vance County school employee is charged with having sex with the girl at his home. He's charged with first degree statutory sex offense and taking indecent liberties with a child. Hicks is now suspended.		
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Water Balloon Dispute		
More than twenty high school seniors... SUSPENDED! Were they WRONGLY suspended? They say... they were just keeping with tradition. School officials say... they went too far. WRAL's Jason Stoogenke explains how a water balloon fight turned into a battle between families and Clinton High School.		
2:00	06/05/2006	6PM
School Board		
They'll hold a special two-hour meeting to start talking about what criteria they'll use to identify schools that will go from traditional to year-round calendars. That's just the start of a long day and a long discussion on many pressing issues.		
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Identifying Gang Activity		
Today, more efforts are being made to help parents and school leaders identify gang activity. Today Butner Public Safety and other law enforcement agencies are hosting a gang awareness forum. It will be held at the Butner Stem Middle School cafeteria from six to eight tonight. Organizers want to help people identify and prevent gang violence in their community.		
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Growing School System		
Wake County is a growing school system facing divisive issues. Today Wake County's school board worked on ways to control the student population.		
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Graduation Dress Code		
The ACLU sent a letter to the school, but is still deciding whether to take her case. Spanbauer bought a ticket so she could watch the graduation ceremony, but says the school banned her from the event.		
2:00	06/08/2006	6PM
No Convention Center		
This year, thousands of Wake County high school seniors may have to sweat out Graduation Day. This is video of Enloe High School's ceremony two years ago at the Raleigh Convention Center, where Wake County USED to hold most of its graduation exercises.		
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Durham Graduations		
A-C at Cameron Indoor Stadium cooled parents and family attending graduation in Durham. Riverside was one of three high schools that held their commencement ceremonies Friday. Others turn their tassels today. This year more than 1700 seniors are graduating.		
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Mercury Cost

The mercury scare will cost Durham's school system a pretty penny! Administrators will fork over about 70-thousand dollars for cleanup and other costs related to last month's incident at Oak Grove Elementary School. Investigators believe Carlos Guerra stole the mercury from his employer.

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Graduation Heat

Dressing comfortably for Wake County high school graduations isn't just a fashion statement. Ten ceremonies are set for Reynolds Coliseum this weekend and the building has NO air conditioning. NC State brought in some extra fans and opened the doors to help the problem.

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Wakefield Graduation

This weekend many high school seniors are celebrating their graduation. And one ceremony was bittersweet. Wakefield High remembered FOUR classmates killed in an alcohol related crash. The teens died in March. WRAL's Dan Bowens shares the details in this report.

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Low Performing Schools

Show improvement or the state will do it for you! That's the message from state leaders regarding poor performing schools. Cullen Browder has the story.

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Education Equality

Keep education equal! That's the mission of a local coalition.. They brought that message to state lawmakers accusing them of failing when it comes to poor schools! WRAL's Fred Taylor reports, they want to have their say in state spending.

HEALTH

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Obesity Study

The number of American women classified as obese has leveled off, but men and children are packing on the pounds at an alarming rate. Dr Allen Mask looks at these and more surprising results of a new study on obesity in America.

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Prostate Brach therapy

WRAL Health Team reports on a procedure that fights cancer from the inside out - by inserting temporary radioactive seeds into prostate to kill cancer.

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Macular Degeneration

Dr Allen Mask shows us how an experimental approach at Duke uses a colon cancer drug to stop vision loss.

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Stroke Device

Dr Allen Mask looks at a device that restores movement in paralyzed limbs for stroke victims.

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Hormone Replacement Therapy

Hormone Replacement Therapy fell out of favor after a study linked it to a heightened breast cancer risk

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back in 2002. Now, that same study shows HRT may be safe for some women after all. Health Team Dr Allen Mask looks at the link between estrogen and breast cancer, and who can take the hormones safely.

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Making Sense of Medical Studies

Trying to keep up with the latest medical studies can feel like watching a tennis match - something's good for you one day, bad the next. Dr Allen Mask joins us to offer guidance in how to make sense of studies as they hit the headlines.

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MRSA Infection

A Wake County woman nearly lost her leg to a staph infection that she picked up at her gym. MRSA infections are often misdiagnosed and can even be deadly if untreated. Dr Allen Mask explains what MRSA is and how you can avoid it in your day to day life.

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Stroke Hole

One in four people have a hole in their hearts that didn't seal after birth. For most people it's not a problem, but for stroke victims, it can lead to a second stroke if undetected. Dr Allen Mask has details.

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Raloxifene

Clinical trials show a drug now used for osteoporosis could also prevent breast cancer in post-menopausal women. Both Duke and UNC took part in the trials. Dr Allen Mask looks at the results of one of the largest studies to date.

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Mercury In Fillings

Dentists fill more than 70 million cavities a year - but the amalgam they use has a small amount of mercury in it. Parents have been concerned about exposing their children to mercury, but Dr Allen Mask looks at a study that says the mercury in the fillings won't harm your children's health.

2:00 04/19/2006 5PM

Pregnancy and Heart Risks

We all know that high blood pressure, high cholesterol, and being overweight are risk factors for heart disease...but did you know that pregnancy is too? In some women it can even increase your risk of a heart attack. Dr Allen Mask walks through the details of this report.

2:00 04/20/2006 5PM

Head and Neck Cancers

Cancers of the head and neck are not always easy to detect. They're the 6th most common cancer in Americans and tend to show up in men more so than women. Dr Allen Mask walks through the warning signs of head and neck cancers, and who should go to a free screening this weekend.

2:00 04/21/2006 5PM

TV And Kids

Parents have heard that too much TV can mean trouble for kids. Now a new study shows it could lead to weight problems, social problems, and could mean they'll have sex earlier than kids who don't watch as much. Dr Allen Mask breaks down the statistics and explains in this report.

2:00 04/24/2006 5PM

Autism

It's a condition that impacts more than 30 thousand families in North Carolina, and that number is

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growing. Autism changes the way children see and experience the world, and can prevent them from telling you about it. Dr Allen Mask looks at the early warning signs.

2:00 04/25/2006 5PM

Implantable Defibrillators

Millions of Americans' hearts beat with the help of machines. Most Defibrillators and pacemakers are safe and effective, but Dr. Allen Mask shows us the results of a new study that says there's room for improvement.

2:00 04/26/2006 5PM

Mumps

A childhood disease thought to be eradicated by vaccines is making a comeback. Iowa is ground zero for the worst outbreak in two decades, with 1100 confirmed cases and counting. Dr Allen Mask joins us to talk about what we can expect here in North Carolina.

2:00 04/27/2006 5PM

Parkinson's Disease

Parkinson's isn't just a problem for the elderly. Up to 10% of those with the disease are diagnosed before age 40. Dr Allen Mask introduces us to a woman diagnosed in her teens who hasn't let the disease stop her from pursuing what she wants out of life.

2:00 05/01/2006 5PM

Duke Patient Revisited

He made medical history as a teenager when he was the first bone marrow transplant recipient at Duke. That moment changed his life and influenced him to become a cancer researcher. Now Dr Allen Mask introduces us to a blood cancer survivor who's back and shares the details of his experience.

2:00 05/02/2006 5PM

JAMA Alcoholism

For the eight million Americans fighting the fight, alcoholism is a tough addiction to beat. Dr. Allen Mask shows us a study that indicates two FDA approved drugs: naltrexone and acamprosate, could offer alcoholics new hope.

2:00 05/03/2006 5PM

Cochlear Implant Family Part 1

A local family has two children who received cochlear implants when they were each under the age of 1. Dr Allen Mask has tracked their development, and in this WRAL follow up, we see how the kids are doing six years after their implants.

2:00 05/04/2006 5PM

Cochlear Implants Part 2

In this second part of a WRAL follow up, Dr Allen Mask shows us how three children with cochlear implants are able to not only keep up but excel in a classroom with other children who hear without the aid of such devices.

2:00 05/05/2006 5PM

Keyboard Germs

Dr Allen Mask looks at the germs that are hiding in your computer keyboard.

2:00 05/08/2006 5PM

Breast Cancer Screenings

We've all heard the warnings - early detection is the best way to catch and survive breast cancer. Even so, alarming rates of breast cancer survivors aren't getting that second screening. Dr Allen Mask looks for

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reasons.

2:00 05/09/2006 5PM

Poor Vision

Fourteen million Americans have poor vision and are not doing anything about it. Dr Allen Mask looks at who is least likely to fix their impaired vision and what conditions can lead to bad eyesight.

2:00 05/10/2006 5PM

Mini Stroke

How can you tell if you're having a minor dizzy spell or the onset of a minor stroke? If you don't know the difference, you could cost yourself precious time in deciding whether to call 9-1-1. Dr Allen Mask looks at the warning signs of a stroke.

2:00 05/12/2006 5PM

Medicare Deadline

The deadline to sign up for Medicare Part D prescription drug plan is just three days away. Dr Allen Mask looks at ways to make sense of the plans and who to go to for last minute help over the final weekend.

2:00 05/15/2006 5PM

Fit Durham

You are what you eat...and where you live. A handful of communities across the state earned the distinction of being "Fit Communities" for their aggressive approach to the health of their residents. Dr Allen Mask shows us what makes Durham and Chapel Hill 'fit communities'.

2:00 05/16/2006 5PM

DVT Study

British researchers looked into what caused Deep Vein Thrombosis - that's blood clots in the legs that some people experience after long flights. Dr Allen Mask offers ways to prevent the condition based on those findings.

2:00 05/17/2006 5PM

High Anxiety Part 1

Everyone gets uncomfortable at times, but for some people, parts of every day life can result in paralyzing fear. In the first part of two, Dr Allen Mask introduces us to two people who experience panic attacks, and tells us how they plan to confront their problem.

2:00 05/18/2006 5PM

High Anxiety Part 2

Fears can rule your life if you have an anxiety disorder. Yesterday, Dr Allen Mask introduced us to two patients ready to confront every day tasks that can cause panic attacks. Today, we tag along as the pair go to a local restaurant and confront their fears head on.

2:00 05/19/2006 6PM

Pompe Disease

Pompe Disease is a rare genetic disorder that only affects 30-35 newborns a year, and can show up in adults. It's a condition with no cure, but doctors at Duke have discovered a treatment that could potentially save patients' lives. Dr Allen Mask introduces details about the treatment in this report.

2:00 05/22/2006 5PM

Enloe PSA

Meningitis is a disease that tends to run rampant once it hits the close quarters of a college campus. So when the state launched an ad campaign designed to get college students vaccinated, who better to spread the message than their peers? Dr Allen Mask introduces us to the messengers - students at a high

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school right here in Raleigh.

2:00 05/23/2006 5PM

JAMA Overweight Study

America is passing its weight problem on to its children. More children than ever are deemed "overweight" and are experiencing health problems because of it. Dr Allen Mask looks at the link research has found between poverty and weight.

2:00 05/25/2006 5PM

UNC Stroke

Time is of the essence when it comes to treating a stroke. Current treatments only work for up to five hours after the initial strike. But researchers at UNC debuted a new device today that can DOUBLE the initial window of opportunity. Dr Allen Mask shows us how it works.

2:00 05/26/2006 5PM

Healthy Labels

Sometimes the best intentions of dieting can go awry in the grocery store. With all the labels claiming their product is the best for you, it can get confusing. Dr Allen Mask went shopping with our cameras and a registered dietician to help make sense of everything we see on labels.

2:00 05/30/2006 5PM

Water

Do you drink enough water? How much is enough, anyway? Dr Allen Mask looks how you can get what you need, without getting the fat, calories, and contaminants that you don't.

2:00 05/31/2006 5PM

Golf Fitness

Golfers aren't always the first athletes who come to mind when you're talking about physical fitness, but they're the athletes many of us can relate to. And the issues they face - tone, flexibility and training - are the same ones anyone can benefit from.

2:00 06/01/2006 5PM

Golf Injuries

Hitting the links on the weekend could have you hitting the doctor's office if you don't take time to warm up. Dr Allen Mask walks us through the exercises and clothing that could keep you out of the waiting room.

2:00 06/02/2006 5PM

FDA Fat Report

America has a growing weight problem. Today, the FDA issued a report that suggests restaurants take an active role in helping America fight the battle of the bulge. Among the suggestions, smaller portions, healthier side dishes and indication of healthier dishes on menus.

2:00 06/05/2006 5PM

Foot Pain

Millions of Americans have foot pain so bad that even walking is nearly impossible. Now doctors are trying an injection normally reserved for your face to cut down on the pain. Dr Allen Mask looks at the new use for Restylane.

2:00 06/06/2006 5PM

Breast Cancer Study

White women get breast cancer more often than black women, but black women are more likely to die from it. That's because black women tend to get a more aggressive form of the disease. Dr Allen Mask

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goes to UNC where researchers made the link between races.

2:00 06/07/2006 5PM

Stevens Johnson Disease

A fifth grader at a Wake County Elementary school came down with Stevens Johnson Disease. It's a rare and life threatening condition, but through it all, he kept his eye on the prize -- graduating from elementary school.

2:00 06/08/2006 5PM

Early Baby

There are plenty of babies who come early, but one couldn't wait for his mom to make it to the hospital. Dr Allen Mask has the story of a baby born in his parents' bathroom.

2:00 06/09/2006 5PM

Cervical Cancer Vaccine

The FDA has approved a vaccine for cervical cancer. Doctors say it could show the most promise for people who are not yet sexually active - that means getting it to girls as young as 9 or 10. Dr Allen Mask looks at the debate over whether the vaccine should be optional, or required.

2:00 06/12/2006 5PM

Aging Study

The average life expectancy in this country is 75 years old, but more than 70-thousand people are 100 years old or older! How did they get there? Dr Allen Mask looks at the answers researchers got from the centenarians themselves - low stress and exercise.

2:00 06/13/2006 5PM

Anorexia and Prozac

Since Anorexia is a psychiatric illness AND an eating disorder, would a popular anti-depressant have an impact? That's what researchers at UNC wanted to know about Prozac. Dr Allen Mask shows us, they found it had no impact, but psychiatric counseling did.

2:00 06/15/2006 5PM

Boomeritis

Baby Boomers are known to work hard and play hard. Now that they're entering their 60s, they're getting their fair share of aches and pains. Dr Allen Mask looks at treatment options and ways to avoid the so-called "Boomer-itis".

2:00 06/16/2006 5PM

Dental Products

There are plenty of products out there to help your teeth...but which are the ones that you need to have a healthy smile? From toothbrush bristles to toothpaste, floss and mouthwash, Dr Allen Mask breaks what you need to know for proper mouth maintenance.

2:00 06/19/2006 5PM

Belarus Kids

For much of the world, the Chernobyl disaster is a page in the history books. Doctors in the Triangle see it's effects every year when children born to survivors of the meltdown come here to seek life-saving medical treatment. Dr Allen Mask shows us their stories.

2:00 06/20/2006 5PM

Health Tidbits

Three stories rolled into one: 1) recall on Triaminic patches for children; 2) Raloxifene versus Tamoxifen. Researchers compare side effects on the two drugs that can prevent breast cancer recurrence; and 3)

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Internet pharmacies make it easier to get prescription drugs illegally. Most prescriptions are for painkillers. Government is working to shut them down.

2:00 06/21/2006 5PM

I-bot

Advances in technology have allowed researchers to produce a wheelchair that will roll over grass, climb stairs, and even raise the person in the chair to look a standing adult in the eye. The new chair is called the I-Bot and Dr Allen Mask introduces us to an ALS patient who walks us through what it can do.

2:00 06/22/2006 5PM

Oral Exams

Your mouth can tell a lot about your overall health. Since most Americans see their dentist more often than their doctor, UNC Dental School has started teaching students how to search for head and neck cancers and other ailments along with cavities.

2:00 06/23/2006 5PM

Stroke Stent

Strokes are debilitating and possibly deadly, mostly because they deprive the brain of blood and oxygen. Doctors found a way to get more blood to the brain - using a stent. Dr Allen Mask looks at who could be a good candidate and how the technique is saving lives.

2:00 06/26/2006 5PM

Surgical Technology

No one wants to feel like a medical guinea pig when going in for surgery. now, a new technology allows med students to practice before they ever encounter a patient. Dr Allen Mask shows us how it works.

2:00 06/27/2006 5PM

JAMA Depression And Heart

New research suggests your mood can impact the health of your heart. People who suffer from depression are three times as likely to suffer heart disease or heart failure. Dr Allen Mask walks us through the research.

2:00 06/28/2006 5PM

Effects of Second Hand Smoke

When the state calls for every workplace to go smoke free, Dr Allen Mask joins Debra to talk about the dangers posed by second hand smoke.

2:00 06/28/2006 5PM

Chair-a-table

The Doctor's office can be a dangerous place for disabled patients who can't raise themselves onto the exam table. They could be dropped, or fragile bones or skin broken when nurses try to lift them. Dr Allen Mask introduces us to a Rocky Mount man who has invented the chair-a-table - a device that gets patients on the table safely.

2:00 06/29/2006 5PM

Too Much Salt

America eats too much salt, but holding back on the shaker is just the first step. Dr Allen Mask walks us through jsut how much sodium you'll find hidden in many of the foods we eat every day.

2:00 06/30/2006 5PM

Calcium

Calcium is an important part of your diet...but dairy products aren't the only way to get what you need. Dr Allen Mask looks at some of your non-dairy options.

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30:00 04/02/2006 6:30AM

NC Spin

All the recent news stories have raised awareness that perhaps we need to examine the way we do business in this state. On this show we are going to talk about legislative reforms, lobbying reforms, ethics and campaign finance reforms, and then the possibility of Constitutional reforms.

30:00 04/02/2006 10:30AM

Face the Nation

1) Interviews with Sen. Richard Durbin and Rep. James Sensenbrenner about immigration: the bill that has passed in the House focused on tightening borders and including the building of a 700 mile fence, as opposed to: a proposed guest worker program enabling people who enter the U.S. to stay and work legally/the creation of a legal path for currently undocumented aliens.

2) Discussion with David Brooks about: debate in the House and the Senate about immigration legislation/impact on the Republican party/the announcement of a new White House Chief of Staff.

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60 MINUTES

"Bin Laden's Bodyguard"- 60 MINUTES traveled to Yemen to interview Abu Jandel, once Osama bin Laden's personal bodyguard and still an al-Qaeda sympathizer, who claims that America's best chance to kill bin Laden came and went before 9/11. Also includes an interview with Mike Scheuer, a former CIA analyst and now a CBS News consultant.

"What's Good For America..."- focuses on financial problems faced by General Motors resulting from high labor costs - especially healthcare and pension payments - and tough competition. Includes interviews with: David Cole, Chairman of the Center for Automotive Research; Rick Wagoner, General Motors Chairman; Gary Chaison, professor of industrial relations at Clark University; Ron Gettelfinger, UAW president; and Bob Lutz, General Motors Vice Chairman.

"Working 24/7"- the digital revolution now enables people to work their jobs in just about any location and at nearly every waking hour. Includes interviews with Joe Hurd, a Silicon Valley entrepreneur and his wife Christina Mireles, as well as other Americans for whom a 40 hour work week is a thing of the past.

60:00 04/08/2006 10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Love Lost" - focuses on new evidence in the investigation of the July 2005 disappearance of honeymooner George Smith from the cruise ship Brilliance of the Seas. Four young men who had been drinking and gambling with Smith and his bride Jennifer in the hours previous to his disappearance were considered prime suspects. Includes an interview with Dr. Jerry Askins, a podiatrist whose son Josh, a college student from California, was one of them. Josh and his companions told police that they escorted a drunken Smith back to his cabin and left him on his bed and that his wife, Jennifer Hagel Smith, was nowhere to be found. Also includes interviews with George Smith's parents, Maureen and George Sr., and his sister Bree. George Smith is presumed to have gone overboard into the waters off Greece at approximately 4:30am, almost the exact moment when a crew member found Jennifer on the other side of the ship, slumped over on the floor with no memory of what happened. The families of George Smith and Jennifer Hagel Smith plan a joint wrongful death lawsuit against the Royal Caribbean cruise line.

30:00 04/09/2006 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week our panel will give their spin on UNC's announcement they want to improve graduation rates, on the NAACP saying our schools are guilty of child abuse, and on the crisis in our courts, but first we discuss House Democrats heading for a showdown.

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Face the Nation

1) Immigration legislation: Democratic vs. Republican viewpoints: the possibility of a compromise immigration bill before the November elections/pros and cons of the guest worker program/defining the term `amnesty'/sensible reforms aimed at keeping illegal immigrants out and returning those already in the U.S. to their original countries.

2) Interview with Rick Wagoner about the future of General Motors: the possibility that the company will declare bankruptcy/a possible government bailout/the claim that more Americans are buying Japanese cars/the question of whether Wagoner will resign/the impact of a strike by Delphi, the auto parts-making company/retirement buyouts offered to GM employees/his reaction to comments by Kirk Kerkorian, a major investor in GM.

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60 MINUTES

"Death Of A General"- an interview with Chief Warrant Officer Lewis Welshofer, who faced court-martial for murder when Iraqi General Abid Hamed Mowhoush died after Welshofer interrogated him using a technique that he says was sanctioned by his superiors. Also includes interviews with: Frank Spinner, Welshofer's attorney; and Rep. Loretta Sanchez (D-CA), Member of the House Armed Services Committee.

"The Orphanage" - a visit to the David Sheldrick Wildlife Trust, the Kenya-based orphanage for elephants who were abandoned when they were less than two years old. Includes interviews with: Dame Daphne Sheldrick, the orphanage founder who has been working with elephants for 50 years and Edwin Lusichi, head of the elephant keepers.

"Michelle Wie" - followup to "Michelle Wie", an interview with the 14-year-old golfing sensation. The followup consists of an interview with Michelle Wie, who at sixteen is the highest paid woman golfer in the world, with endorsement deals worth \$10 million. Also includes an interview with David Wirtchafter, president of the William Morris Agency.

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Republican Infighting

The mailings are dramatic and politically charged. They link Rick Eddins to embattled Democratic House Speaker Jim Black.

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04/14/2006

7:30PM

Headline Saturday – Remembering the Funeral of Pope John Paul, One Year Later

Half hour discussion regarding the growth of Roman Catholicism in North Carolina and its impact on the local faith community and the community as a whole. Guests included Mons. Tim O'Connor, Juan Perez (Latino advocate) and religion professor from Oxford University Dr. Michael Smith.

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48 HOURS MYSTERY: "A Knock On The Door"- in 1982, in the town of Olathe, Kansas, a young banker named David Harmon was bludgeoned to death in his bed. His wife Melinda told authorities that two men intent on robbing the bank where David worked had broken into their home and committed the crime. Investigators believed, but could not prove, that Melinda was involved in a secret affair with family friend Mark Mangelsdorf, and that the two were involved in David's murder. Nearly 20 years later, armed with new forensic technology, police zeroed in on the couple: Mangelsdorf, an independent business consultant in New York City, is now married with five children and lives in Pelham, N.Y.; Melinda, now living in Columbus, Ohio is married to a dentist and is the mother of two. Melinda was tried and found guilty of murder and conspiracy to commit murder. Facing a sentence of life in prison, she offered the prosecutor information about what happened the night of the murder in exchange for a lighter sentence. Melinda and Mangelsdorf, who entered a guilty plea, will be sentenced on May 12.

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NC Spin

On this program we ask our panel to spin a possible minimum wage hike, debate health care access and affordability, and a proposal for reading and writing coaches, but first we take a look at the multiplying costs of school construction.

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Face the Nation

1) Interview with Sen. George Allen about: the future of Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld/criticism of Rumsfeld by retired U.S. generals/the situation in Iraq/the need for the Iraqi people to form a unity government; Allen's stand on U.S. immigration policy/the impact of immigration legislation on the Republican Party; Allen as a possible presidential candidate.

2) Interview with Gov. Bill Richardson about: his reaction to Sen. Allen's comments regarding Secretary Rumsfeld/his opinion that a date should be set for the withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq; Iran's progress toward the possession of nuclear weapons/the need to engage the Iranians in direct talks; Richardson as a possible presidential candidate.

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60 MINUTES

"Terror Behind Bars"- a visit to Israel's top-security prison including interviews with: Abdullah Barghouti, mastermind behind Hamas' deadliest suicide bombings; Muhammed Jalala, a nurse turned terrorist; and Gilad Cohen, a guard at the prison. Also includes an interview with Anna Muna, a terrorist held at Hasharon Prison for women; and Israeli Major Yuval Biton, the prison dentist.

"Too Many Men"- in China, many more men are being born than women, an imbalance, created in part by the country's one-child policy, that has led to social instability and an increase in crime. Includes interviews with: Zhao Baige, vice minister of the family planning commission; and Valerie Hudson, political scientist of Brigham Young University and co-author of a book on Asia's male surplus.

"Jamie Oliver"- an interview with Jamie Oliver, a 30-year-old British celebrity TV chef who is campaigning to improve the eating habits of school children, not just in Britain but in the United States. Just over three years ago, Oliver put up over \$2 million to finance a non-profit restaurant staffed with disadvantaged young people.

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Headline Saturday - North Carolina's Lottery

Half hour discussion regarding the state's new lottery as it prepared to launch. Guests included, Tom Shaheen, lottery director, State Representative Rick Eddins and pastor Chris Michaels.

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48 HOURS MYSTERY: "The Marilyn Tapes"- an investigation of the apparent suicide, on August 4, 1962, of actress Marilyn Monroe. In 1982, amid public outcry concerning allegations of conspiracy and a cover-up following Monroe's death, the Los Angeles District attorney was forced to re-examine the evidence. Using the California Public Records Act, 48 HOURS filed a petition and obtained 309 pages of internal documents and approximately five-and-a-half hours of audio taped interviews with key sources. Included are interviews with: Jeanne Carmen, a close friend of Monroe's; Anthony Summers, biographer and journalist who acted as a consultant to 48 HOURS; actor Tony Curtis; Playboy publisher Hugh Hefner; Dr. Hyman Engelberg, Monroe's personal physician; Eunice Murray, her housekeeper; Dr. Steven Karch, a forensic pathologist; Rick Stone and Ken Hunter, ambulance attendants who were dispatched to Monroe's home; and Daryl Gates, former Los Angeles Police Chief.

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On this show we ask our panel to give you their spin on a proposed \$800 million Oregon Inlet bridge, on the state losing \$200 million in taxes, and on how illegal immigrants affect businesses in our state, but first let's talk about the Northeast Partnership and their ongoing problems.

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Face the Nation

1) Interview with Major General John Batiste (Retired, U.S. Army) about: his suggestion that Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld should step down from his post/what he considers to be flawed strategic decisions in the conduct of the war in Iraq/his belief that the U.S. Army is over-committed and under-resourced/Secretary Rumsfeld's claim that the military is against him because he is in favor of change; the possibility that Iran is developing a nuclear weapon.

2) Interviews with Patrick Buchanan and John Podesta about: reaction to General Batiste's comments/evaluation of President Bush's decision to back Rumsfeld/significance of changes in the White House staff/impact on the fall elections.

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60 MINUTES

"A Spy Speaks Out"- former CIA official Tyler Drumheller charges the Bush Administration with ignoring intelligence that there were no weapons of mass destruction in Iraq. Also includes interviews with: former ambassador Joseph Wilson; Rocco Martino, a former spy for Italian military intelligence; and Elisabeta Burba, a reporter for an Italian news magazine.

"Aging In The 21st Century"- an investigation of the new multi-billion dollar field of anti-aging medicine, in which diet, exercise and even controversial drugs, including the human growth hormone, play a role in helping people feel and look younger. Includes interviews with: Dr. Alan Mintz, founder of the Cenegenics Medical Institute of Las Vegas and Dr. Shlomo Melmed, Director of Cedars-Sinai Research Institute in Los Angeles.

"The Star Of Starbucks"- an interview with Howard Schultz who turned a few local stores selling coffee beans and machines into a \$29 billion multinational corporation.

30:00 04/28/2006 7:30PM

Headline Saturday - Property Tax Increases For Wake And Johnston Counties

Half hour discussion regarding potential property tax increases due to billion dollar school bond proposal. Guests included John Johnson, Wake County Taxpayers Association and school board superintendent Patti Head.

60:00 04/29/2006 10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Deadly Proposal" - in February 1999, Stephanie Pepper, a Louisiana Tech University professor, married David Sims, an accountant, ten years her senior. Two years into their marriage, David and Stephanie were growing apart. In November 2002, Stephanie and her friend, Ginger Steward, visited a local bar where Stephanie met Wayne Guidry, Jr. who claimed to be a professional golfer spending some time in the area hunting during the off season. Less than a week after Stephanie met Guidry, she told David she wanted to separate, and five weeks after the affair began, Stephanie disappeared. With the help of Erik Dufrene, a childhood friend of Wayne Guidry and Guidry's father, Stephanie's body was found in the Jackson Bienville Management Preserve. Guidry was arrested, tried and found guilty of the murder and sentenced to life in prison without parole. He is appealing his conviction.

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NC Spin

On this edition we will discuss students needing classrooms and on alcohol and our young people, but first let's cover what to expect from Tuesday's primary elections.

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Face the Nation

1) Interview with Dr. Condoleezza Rice about: former Secretary of State Colin Powell's claim that his recommendation that a much larger force be sent to Iraq in order to keep peace was rejected/the issue of what Iraqis can contribute to their own security/American casualties in Iraq/progress on the political front; the situation in Iran/possible imposition of sanctions; the issue of immigration.

2) Interview with Senators Maria Cantwell and Lisa Murkowski about: rising gasoline prices/finding short term and long term solutions/addressing the problem of price-gouging and the over-dependence on foreign oil/possible impact of rolling back the gas tax/the windfall profits tax/giving everybody a \$100 rebate.

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60 MINUTES

"Lethal And Leaking"- a visit to the site along the Columbia River in Hanford, WA., where waste left over from the production of nuclear weapons is stored. The Department of Energy has been trying to clean up the site for 16 years at the cost of billions of dollars and has accomplished virtually nothing. Includes interviews with: Charles Anderson, an Energy Department official; Gene Aloise, General Accounting Office; Gary Jones, a GAO investigator; Tom Carpenter, the Government Accountability Project; and Gov. Christine Gregoire of Washington State.

"Priory Of Sion" - a report on the controversy over whether a central element of "The Da Vinci Code", the best-selling novel by Dan Brown -- a mysterious European society known as the Priory of Sion -- is fact or fiction.

"The Colbert Report"- an interview with Stephen Colbert, host of Comedy Central's popular "fake news" program "The Colbert Report."

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Franklin Sheriff's Race

Four candidates are trying to unseat Franklin County Sheriff Jerry Jones. On the democratic side: Pat Green and Joe Lynch. Republicans Terry Allen, a state trooper, and Bunn Police Chief Kent Winstead are also running. Jones, who is running for re-election, has been criticized for a secret deal he signed to lease a helicopter. It crashed in 2004 killing a deputy. The surviving pilot is charged with manslaughter.

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Nifong Wins

Mike Nifong supporters started the night celebrating and they ended the night celebrating even more. With nearly all the precincts reporting, Mike Nifong is unofficially keeping his job as District Attorney. Despite the outcome of the election, he was never completely confident he would win.

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05/03/2006

11PM

Durham Election Results

Now back to the election results. Voters in Durham also cast ballots for change on the Durham School Board. Incumbents Jackie Wagstaff and Regina George-Bowden all lost their bids for re-election. The women were often at the center of bickering and infighting at school board meetings. Challenger Steve Matherly lost his bid to join the board.

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48 HOURS MYSTERY: "The Last Dance"- in July 2002, 18-year-old Catherine Woods left her home in Columbus, Ohio to pursue a career as a dancer in New York City. On Sunday of the 2005 Thanksgiving weekend Catherine was savagely murdered. David Haughn, a rap musician and Catherine's live-in boyfriend was the initial suspect. In the fall of 2004 Catherine had met Paul Cortez, a 25-year-old vocalist in a rock band. He called her parents, Jon and Donna Woods, and told them that Catherine was performing at a topless bar, and suggested that she was involved with both drugs and prostitution. Police say that Paul Cortez' fingerprints match one bloody print found in Catherine Woods' apartment and, on

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December 23, 2005, he was charged with her murder. Prior sexual assault charges against Paul Cortez were dropped, but he is expected to go to trial next fall for the murder of Catherine Woods. If convicted he could be sentenced to life in prison.

30:00 05/07/2006 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week our panel will focus on what the legislature will do when they come back to Raleigh next week, but first we look back at Tuesday's primary elections.

30:00 05/07/2006 10:30AM

Face the Nation

1) Interview with Sen. John McCain about: the resignation of CIA head Porter Goss/the nomination of Michael Hayden, an Air Force General and former director of the National Security Agency, to replace Goss/debate over eavesdropping without a warrant; McCain's agreement with Vice President Cheney's comments about Russia/President Bush's attendance at the G8 summit meeting in St. Petersburg; the situation in Iran; the possibility that Sen. McCain will seek the Republican nomination for president.
2) Roundtable discussion about: the nomination of Gen. Michael Hayden to head the CIA/reorganization of the CIA; Sen. John McCain as a presidential candidate.

60:00 05/07/2006 7PM

60 MINUTES

"SallieMae" - making government-backed loans to college students has become so lucrative for the SallieMae Corporation that its stock has skyrocketed 2,000 percent in the last decade. But some students, unable to repay their loans, are left dealing with high interest rates and growing debt. Includes interviews with: Alan Collinge who started a website to help others with student loans; Michael Dannenberg, New America Foundation; Elizabeth Warren, professor of bankruptcy law at Harvard Law School; and Rep. Thomas Petri (R-WI).

"The Ethanol Solution" - a report on a group of farmers in Iowa who have invested their life savings to build a factory that turns corn into an alternate fuel called ethanol. Includes interviews with some of the farmers on the plant's board of directors; Professor Daniel Kammen, head of the Renewable Energy Lab at the University of California, Berkeley; Rick Wagoner, head of General Motors; and Red Cavaney, head of the American Petroleum Institute.

"Long John Daly" - an interview with professional golfer John Daly about his struggles.

2:00 05/09/2006 5PM

Budget Surplus

A projected 2 billion dollar surplus has everyone talking money! Governor Mike Easley wants to help low income families. He is asking to add 300 thousand families to the subsidized day-care system.

30:00 05/13/2006 7:30PM

Headline Saturday - Security At North Carolina Ports

Half hour discussion regarding the security at North Carolina's major and minor ports. Guests included, US Senator Richard Burr and NC Director of Crime Control and Public Safety Doug Beatty.

60:00 05/13/2006 10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Cheatin' Heart" - Randy Hardison, a successful country songwriter, was assaulted outside his Nashville apartment on June 1, 2002; he died three days later. He had been helping Catina Skipper, an aspiring singer. They began an affair and, according to Hardison's friends, Skipper's husband, Ronnie, threatened Hardison. Police considered Ronnie Skipper to be the prime suspect but, three days into the investigation, a man calling himself 'Julius' called the homicide bureau claiming that he had been hired to beat up Hardison by a Dr. Jones. The lead proved groundless, and Ronnie Skipper and Orlando Smith, one of his employees, were brought to trial. Despite Catina Skipper's claim that she was responsible for Randy Hardison's death, both Skipper and Orlando were found guilty of aggravated

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assault. After serving seven months in jail, they were released. Catina Skipper was convicted of perjury and served two months in jail. Includes interviews with country music stars Lee Ann Womack and Darryl Worley.

30:00 05/14/2006 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week's show will discuss a shortage of road funds, an unusual leadership structure in the House, and the growing problem of students and alcohol, but first we discuss Governor Easley's proposed budget.

30:00 05/14/2006 10:30AM

Face the Nation

1) Interview with Stephen Hadley about: reports that the National Security Agency was eavesdropping without court orders on some telephone calls coming into and out of this country involving people suspected of having terrorist ties/the legality of the terrorist surveillance program/the inclusion of some domestic-to-domestic calls/Gen. Michael Hayden's confirmation hearings following his nomination to head the CIA; President Bush's upcoming speech on immigration/the possibility that National Guard troops will be stationed on the U.S. border.

2) Interview with Sen. Arlen Specter and Rep. Jane Harman about: reaction to Stephen Hadley's statements/charge that Congress has not been properly briefed about the surveillance program and that court warrants are needed/proposed legislation giving the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court authority to rule on the constitutionality of the program/hearings involving the three telephone companies; the nomination of General Hayden to head the CIA.

2:00 05/19/2006 6PM

Ethics

The election year vote wasn't close. House members finalized an ethics plan that bans gifts from lobbyists and toughens penalties on those who lie about financial ties.

30:00 05/20/2006 7:30PM

Headline Saturday - Duke Lacrosse Case

Half hour discussion regarding the Duke Lacrosse team and subsequent indictments of three players on felony rape charges. Guests included, defense attorney Butch Williams and former prosecutor Keiran Shanahan.

60:00 05/20/2006 10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Duty, Death, Dishonor"- 25-year-old U.S. Army Specialist Richard Davis, from a military family, began his career in the Army as a peacekeeper in Bosnia and was later assigned to the 3rd Infantry Division based in Fort Benning, GA. and took part in the March 2003 invasion of Iraq. Davis survived his tour of duty in Iraq and returned to the U.S. on July 13, 2003. After celebrating his homecoming with four Army buddies in Columbus, GA, Davis disappeared and was listed by the Army as AWOL. In September, two months after Davis' disappearance the Army opened an official investigation and on November 7th, 2003, a tip led to the discovery of his body. Nearly four months later, four soldiers who were last with Davis -- Jacob Burgoyne, Alberto Martinez, Mario Navarette and Douglas Woodcoff -- were arrested. Jacob Burgoyne, previously diagnosed with PTSD (post-traumatic stress disorder), identified Alberto Martinez as the sole killer. Douglas Woodcoff agreed to cooperate with authorities once murder charges against him were dropped. A jury found Alberto Martinez and Mario Navarette guilty of murder with a sentence of life in prison. Jacob Burgoyne, who pled guilty to voluntary manslaughter, received a twenty year sentence. Douglas Woodcoff pled guilty to concealing a death and was sentenced to five years of probation. Both Navarette and Martinez are seeking new trials.

30:00 05/21/2006 6:30AM

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On this show we ask our panel to reflect on a three month moratorium on gas taxes in South Carolina, on the dismissal of the economic incentives lawsuit, and on the cap on new spending, but first lets talk about a possible ban on video poker machines.

30:00 05/21/2006 10:30AM

Face the Nation

1) Interview with Alberto Gonzales, U.S. Attorney General, about: immigration/the role of National Guard troops to be stationed along the U.S. border /the possibility that President Bush will opt for fencing off the entire border/the future of an amnesty program for those who are already in this country, many of them illegally/the Senate bill designating English as the national language of the U.S./the chance that there will be an immigration bill this year.

2) Interview with Rep. James Sensenbrenner and Sen. Dianne Feinstein about: pros and cons concerning the limited guest worker program proposed by President Bush; assessing the effectiveness of putting National Guard troops along the U.S. border.

60:00 05/21/2006 7PM

60 MINUTES

A Mike Wallace Tribute - a retrospective of Mike Wallace's career (P: David Browning, Warren Lustig)

"Mike" - highlights from Mike Wallace's interviews with public figures including world leaders and others in the public eye.

"The Interrogator" - examines Wallace's technique as an interviewer, looking as his special talent for getting people to reveal information about themselves.

"The Entertainers" - highlights of Mike Wallace's interviews with some of the world's best known entertainers.

"Myron" - reflects on Mike Wallace, actually named Myron, his career on radio and television; the death of his son Peter; his relationship with his colleagues at 60 MINUTES and Executive Producer Don Hewitt; controversial topics he has covered; and the depression that plagued him for years.

30:00 05/27/2006 - 7:30PM

Headline Saturday - Charitable Giving

Half hour discussion regarding the amount of money given in the past fiscal year. Donor fatigue and increasing needs. Guests included Virginia Johnson of the American Red Cross, Sherry Lane of the American Red Cross and Henry Givens of United Way.

60:00 05/27/2006 10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "The Pretender" - a report on Christian Longo, a man on the run, charged with killing his wife and three children, who assumed the identity of Michael Finkel, an award-winning New York Times reporter. Finkel, who admitted to fabricating a portion of a story on child slavery in West Africa, was subsequently fired by the newspaper. Curious to learn why someone would want to steal his identity, Finkel met with Longo and, based on conversations, a series of letters and phone calls, put together an account of events leading up to the murders and Longo's apprehension. Christian Longo was tried, found guilty of all four murders and sentenced to death. He has since changed his story and is working on an appeal. The broadcast was based on an excerpt of "True Story: Murder, Memoir, Mea Culpa" a book on the murders written by Michael Finkel.

30:00 05/28/2006 6:30AM

NC Spin

On this program we will discuss legislative reforms, state employees wanting more pay increases, and increasing state debt, but first let's talk about school bonds in jeopardy.

30:00 05/28/2006 10:30AM

Face the Nation

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1) Interviews with Senators Mitch McConnell and Chuck Schumer about: Republicans' ability to hold majorities in the Senate and the House; immigration legislation; the impact of President Bush's low approval numbers on the upcoming election; speculation on what the overriding issue in the campaigns will entail.

2) Discussion about: assessing the past five years of the Bush Administration; the FBI search of a Democratic Congressman's office; the immigration situation.

60:00

05/28/2006

7PM

60 MINUTES

"Mafia Cops?"- ex-New York detectives Stephen Caracappa and Louis Eppolito, are charged with the murders of 10 people, murders committed on the orders of a Mafia boss. In an interview, Caracappa calls the charges ludicrous. Includes a portion of an interview with mob boss Anthony "Gaspipe" Casso; and an interview with Ed Hayes, Caracappa's attorney. Louis Eppolito (not interviewed) also contends that he is innocent of all charges.

"Wounds Of War"- some American soldiers severely wounded in combat in Iraq were able to return home, thanks to body armor and improved medicine. Includes interviews with Melissa Stockwell who lost a leg; Brian Newman who lost his left arm; Edward Wade who lost his right arm and sustained serious brain injuries; and Thomas Young who became an anti-war activist after a bullet left him paralyzed.

"Jessica Clements"- an interview with Jessica Clements, a former model, who underwent extensive surgery after a roadside bomb shot shrapnel into her brain. Jessica talks about the surgery that saved her life, the pain she still suffers, and her plans for the future. (This was an expanded version of an interview originally aired as part of the "Wounds Of War" segment.)

2:00

05/30/2006

6PM

Moral Conviction

While moral conviction may play into each lawmaker's vote, it's safe to say they're also looking toward the next election. Take the budget vote in the senate. The bill phases out two temporary tax increases and raises pay for teachers and other state employees...popular moves in most cases.

60:00

05/30/2006

10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Deadly Obsession"- Carl "Charlie" Brandt, a Big Pine Key, Fla. man appeared to be devoted to his wife of 17 years, Teri, and close to her family. When Hurricane Ivan threatened the Florida Keys in September 2004, the Brandts sought refuge in the Orlando home of Teri's niece, Michelle Jones, a television executive at the Golf Channel. A few days after the Brandts' arrival, police discovered the bodies of: Teri Brandt who had been stabbed to death; Michelle Jones, also dead and brutally dismembered; and Charlie, who had hanged himself in the garage. Lead investigator Rob Hemmert's first clue came when Brandt's older sister Angela revealed that in 1971, Charlie, then 13, had shot both his father and mother in their Ft. Wayne, Ind. home. Brandt's mother, eight months pregnant, died of her injuries. Because Brandt was a juvenile, state authorities never charged him with murder but sent him to a mental institution for a little more than a year. Further investigation indicated that Brandt had committed a number of other murders. Michelle's parents, Bill and Mary Lou are pushing for a public database to include anyone of any age who killed another person, regardless of the circumstances. Investigator Rob Hemmert is trying to win the release of Charlie Brandt's mental health records in an effort to understand the motivation of a serial killer.

2:00

05/31/2006

5:30PM

Vance Sheriff

Their campaign signs were scattered all over Vance County, often side by side. Sheriff Thomas Breedlove asking for a fifth term. Challenger Peter White says it's time for a change. The voters have spoken apparently - ready for a change.

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06/03/2006

7:30PM

Headline Saturday - Retirement Of Wake County Public Schools Superintendent

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Half hour discussion with the outgoing superintendent of Wake County Public School, Bill McNeal.

60:00 06/03/2006 10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Secrets & Lies On Grapevine Lake" - In April 2002, the body of successful real estate agent David Nixon of Grapevine, Texas, was discovered in a storm drain in a nearby town. He had been shot in the heart and his remains burned beyond recognition. At the time of the murder Nixon and his live-in girlfriend Tracy Frame were in the process of splitting up and were fighting over the house where they both lived. Police investigating the crime focused on Frame who denied any wrongdoing. Three years after Nixon's death, Tracy Frame was tried, found guilty of murder and sentenced to 40 years in prison. She will be eligible for parole in 20 years. She is appealing the verdict. Includes interviews with: Tracy Frame; Donna Lella, David Nixon's first wife; Nicholas, their son; Jerry Vowell, a used car dealer, who was scheduled to meet David Nixon the night he disappeared; Detective Larry Hallmark; Donald Feare, Tracy's defense attorney; and the prosecutor, Assistant D.A. Sean Colston.

30:00 06/04/2006 6:30AM

NC Spin

This week our panel will discuss why Sue Myrick dropped out of the Governor's race, whether or not fingerprinting and breathalyzers are good ideas for teenagers, and one county's tax reduction paid by lottery proceeds.

30:00 06/04/2006 10:30AM

Face the Nation

Interview with Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice about: the arrest by Canadian police of 17 people on suspicion of terrorism/a possible connection with two Americans from Georgia; Dr. Rice's assessment of the situation in Iraq/the charge by the Iraqi prime minister that Iraqi civilians are being attacked by U.S. troops/the unwillingness of Iraqis to cooperate with U.S. troops/investigation of the alleged massacre at Haditha/the question of whether the U.S. is undermanned in Iraq/possibility that American troop levels can be reduced this year; a potential nuclear buildup by Iran/a timetable for the Iranian response to a serious offer by the international community/a military option.

60:00 06/04/2006 7PM

60 MINUTES

"Dying To Get In"- the U.S. Government's efforts to secure the Mexican border have not only failed to stop the flow of illegal immigrants into the U.S., but have had the effect of driving more into the desert where over a thousand died last year. Includes interviews with: border patrol officer Garrett Neubauer; Dr. Bruce Parks, Tucson's medical examiner; Mark Reed, immigration official in San Diego; T.J. Bonner, head of the Border Patrol Agents Union; Rep. Tom Tancredo (R-CO); and Wayne Cornelius, an authority on immigration at the University of California.

"A Different Kind Of Grocery Store"- an interview with John Mackey, the CEO and founder of Whole Foods Market, a chain of stores cashing in on the growing demand for food grown organically without chemicals or pesticides. With 184 stores across the country, Mackey plans on expanding to Europe.

"Carl Hiaasen" - an interview with Carl Hiaasen, an award-winning children's author and former investigative reporter-turned-columnist for The Miami Herald. Hiaasen has made a career of documenting, analyzing and interpreting the idiosyncrasies of his home state of Florida.

60:00 06/06/2006 10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Sex, Lies And The Doctor's Wife" - Karen Tipton, a mother of two and the wife of prominent psychiatrist Dr. David Tipton, was found stabbed to death in her Decatur, Alabama home in March 1999. Police quickly ruled out the husband as a suspect, and a month later arrested 24-year-old Daniel Wade Moore, who worked for the alarm company that had installed a security system in the Tipton home. Moore, a drug user, had initially confessed to his uncle to being present at the scene of the murder, but later retracted his statement. Despite the lack of physical evidence, Moore was tried, convicted and sentenced to death row. Eight months following the conviction, Moore's defense attorneys

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discovered that prosecutors had withheld potentially conclusive information in the case including an FBI report suggesting that Karen was having multiple affairs, and may have known her killer. In a stunning reversal in February 2005, the same judge who sentenced Moore to death released him from prison. The state appealed the decision and Daniel Moore is now awaiting a new trial that could set him free.

2:00

06/08/2006

6PM

Impact Fees

It's a court ruling that could have a statewide impact on IMPACT fees. An appeals court decided this week that Durham's construction fee that goes to schools is illegal because the county DIDN'T get legislative approval. Cullen Browder tells us, some home builders believe OTHER communities may also be breaking the law.

30:00

06/10/2006

7:30PM

Headline Saturday - Water Contamination Problems

Half hour discussion regarding contamination of drinking water in Durham. Guests included John Vorhees, Water Management Director with the City of Durham, Bill Cross, NC Water Quality Control Office and Cathy Clabby, reporter from News & Observer who has written extensively on the issue.

60:00

06/10/2006

10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Scared To Death" - Jim and Vickie Barton, a Springboro, Ohio couple owned and lived on a horse farm. Jim was lieutenant with the Springboro police department, with aspirations of becoming police chief, and Vickie was a head nurse at the local hospital. In April 1995, Jim came home from work and found Vickie had been shot to death. For three years there were virtually no leads in the case and no arrests, but in 1998 Gary Henson, a career criminal, told police that his half-brother, Will Phelps shot Vickie by accident while he and an unidentified accomplice were in the process of burglarizing the Barton home. Four months later, Phelps committed suicide. In 2003, a county-wide cold case team was formed to take a second look at Vickie's murder. The squad discovered a portion of audiotape from Jim's 911 call which revealed a discrepancy in his testimony. Subsequently, Gary Henson told police that Jim Barton was responsible for his wife's death because he had sent Phelps to the house to scare Vicki in hopes of driving her to live in town where Jim supposedly needed to live to become police chief. A jury found Jim Barton guilty of involuntary manslaughter and he will serve at least 15 years in prison. He plans to appeal the verdict. There is no legal requirement for the Springboro Police Chief to live within city limits.

30:00

06/11/2006

6:30AM

NC Spin

This week we are going to give you the spin of a cast of panelists as we celebrate the 400th episode of our program. This week's panelists include; John Hood, Chris Fitzsimon, Theresa Kostrzewa, Henry Hinton and Dan Blue.

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06/11/2006

10:30AM

Face the Nation

Report on the death of Abu Musab al-Zarqawi: overnight developments in Baghdad; the impact on U.S. troops and the Iraqis.

60:00

06/11/2006

7PM

60 MINUTES

"Plan B - Levonorgestrel" - focuses on the FDA's failure to approve over-the-counter sales of the emergency contraceptive Plan B. Includes interviews with: Dr. Susan Wood, former FDA director of women's health, who is critical of the agency's decision; "Evelyn," a rape victim who was not offered the drug by St. Vincent's Hospital in New York; and Dr. David Hager, a gynecologist, who claims that promotion of the product would result in increases both in teenage sexual activity and sexually transmitted diseases.

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"The Hobbit"- a report from the Indonesian island of Flores where a team of Australian and Indonesian archeologists announced in Nature magazine that they had unearthed the bones of a previously unknown humanoid species. The scientists decided to call them Hobbits because of their diminutive height and the small size of their skulls. Includes interviews with: Douglas Hobbs, an Australian archeologist; Professor Mike Norwood, lead scientist on the Australian team; and Dr. Teuko Jacob, dean of Indonesian paleontology.

"Mel Brooks On Broadway"- interview with actor/producer Mel Brooks about "The Producers," the Broadway musical based on his Academy Award-winning film, and the impact of his Jewishness on his life and work.

2:30

06/12/2006

6PM

Nifong Opponents

Mike Nifong's primary win in May wasn't an easy one. Yet, with no Republicans on the ballot- his narrow win virtually guaranteed him a four year term as district attorney. But, businessman Dan Hill, along with former Durham sheriff Roland Leary, are spearheading an effort to get Nifong out of office.

30:00

06/17/2006

7:30PM

Headline Saturday - Coastal Development

Half hour discussion regarding development along the North Carolina coastline. Guests included Kathy Ambachler, life long resident of Harkers Island, John Green, developer and Carolyn Rollins, business owner.

60:00

06/17/2006

9PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Written In Blood" (9:00-11:00p)- an expanded version of "Written In Blood" (OAD: 09/25/04), a report on the brutal 1994 murders of the Rafay family -- Sultana Rafay, her husband Tariq and their autistic daughter, Basma -- in Bellevue, Washington, focusing on the pursuit and arrest of the two primary suspects: Atif Rafay, the only surviving family member, and his friend Sebastian Burns. Focuses on the key role of the Canadian Mounted Police in the investigation and the elaborate sting operation put in place by the CMP in order to obtain confessions from Rafay and Burns. Having taken refuge in Canada, Rafay and Burns, who had written the script for a film called "The Great Despisers," whose plot paralleled the 1994 murders, were extradited to Seattle to face murder charges. They were tried in November 2003, found guilty of murder and sentenced to three consecutive life terms -- one for each life that was taken. The Burns family has launched a campaign for a new trial. Includes interviews with the two accused men; Carol and Dave Burns, Sebastian's parents; Jimmy Myoshi, a friend of the suspects; Detective Bob Thompson; Sgt. Haslett, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police; Jeff Robinson and Song Richardson, defense attorneys for Sebastian Burns; Roger Davidheiser and James Konat, King County's prosecuting team.

30:00

06/18/2006

6:30AM

NC Spin

On this show we will talk about a court decision ruling impact fees illegal, a new bill that makes it against the law for young drivers to use cell phones while driving, and a bill to limit local government's use of condemning property, but first we look at the House budget.

60:00

06/18/2006

7PM

60 MINUTES

"Burning Rage"- a report on the Earth Liberation Front and the Animal Liberation Front, extremist environmental and animal rights groups whose increasingly violent tactics -- including arson and bombings -- make them the biggest domestic terror threat. Includes interviews with: Jeff Carle, San Diego Fire Department; Ron Coronado, a former ALF leader; John Lewis, FBI deputy assistant director for counter-terrorism; Dr. Jerry Vlasak, trauma surgeon and spokesman for several animal rights groups; and David Strange, FBI investigator.

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"Kinky For Governor"- an interview with irreverent Jewish country singer Kinky Friedman, who, despite his lack of experience is campaigning as an independent to be the next governor of Texas. Includes an interview with Friedman's campaign manager Dean Barkley.

"Swimming With Sharks"- because tour operators use food to attract sharks for their "shark tourist" customers, critics say surfers and swimmers are in more danger now because the dangerous fish are associating humans with food. Includes footage of Bob Simon's trip to Shark Central at the tip of South Africa where he got a close-up view of great whites from the vantage of a shark-proof cage; and interviews with Aidan Martin, an Australian scientist; Chris Fallows, a shark tourism operator; Chris Bovim, a surfer; and Helgo Schelmer, a psychologist and surfer.

30:00

06/18/2006

10:30AM

Face the Nation

Interview with Tony Snow about: report that two U.S. soldiers were captured Friday and taken prisoner in Iraq; report of a planned al-Qaeda poison gas attack on New York City subways; reports that North Korea is threatening to begin missile testing; the current situation in Iraq/polls showing U.S. public's failure to support the war in Iraq.

2:00

06/22/2006

5PM

Required Eye Exams

Required Eye Exams for children before they can begin school is turning into a political wedge between the state house and Senate. House Speaker Jim Black who is a Charlotte Optometrist slipped the eye exam requirement into the state budget. House Democrats are fighting to keep it in.

60:00

06/24/2006

10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Back From The Dead" - a report from Rockhampton, Queensland, Australia where a community lived in fear of a serial killer following the disappearance of nine-year-old Keyra Steinhart; 14-year-old Natasha Ryan; 19-year-old Sylvia Benedetti; 37-year-old Beverly Leggo and 39-year-old Julie Turner. Police picked up Leonard "Lenny" Fraser, a meat cutter at a local slaughterhouse, who had previously served prison time for assault. Fraser claimed innocence, but a search of his car revealed traces of Keyra Steinhart's blood as well as other human blood. Fraser led police to the nine-year-old's body but refused to admit to the other murders. Subsequently, police received an offer of help from Allan Quinn, a con man and a fellow prison inmate of Fraser's who not only got Fraser to confess to the killings, but to lead police to the bodies of three of his other victims. Despite the fact that Natasha Ryan's grave was not located, Fraser was brought to trial for all the murders. On the 12th day of the trial it was revealed that Natasha Ryan was not a murder victim but had run away from home with a boyfriend and had been living in hiding nearby. At the conclusion of the trial Fraser was convicted and sentenced to prison for the other killings.

30:00

06/25/2006

6:30AM

NC Spin

This week we devote our entire program to education. First we'll talk about failing high schools, giving scholarship athletes in-state tuition rates, distance learning, and conflicts on the Board of Governors.

30:00

06/25/2006

10:30AM

Face the Nation

1) Interviews with Senators Richard Lugar and Barbara Boxer about: setting a timetable for the withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq/Iraqi President Maliki's plan to grant amnesty to insurgents; U.S. response to the threat of nuclear missile testing by North Korea.

2) Roundtable discussion about: debate over withdrawal of U.S. troops from Iraq/resistance to Iraqi President Maliki's amnesty plan; looking forward to the November elections; projecting into the presidential campaign.

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7PM

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"The Oil Sands" - a report on the oil boom in Alberta, Canada, where the oil sands produce a million barrels a day and hold reserves eight times those of Saudi Arabia. The oil companies, which pay some of the highest salaries in North America, are faced with problems including the shortage of labor and charges by environmentalists that they are destroying both the atmosphere and the land.

"Rex" (Parts I & II) - followup to "Musically Speaking", a report on Rex Lewis-Clack, an eight-year-old boy whose incredible musical ability coexists with blindness and severe mental impairment. Part I of the followup consists of recent interviews with Rex, now ten-years-old; his mother, Cathleen and David Pinto, one of Rex's piano teachers. Part II consists of expanded interviews with Rex's mother Cathleen, and with Derek Paravincini, another musical savant and his teacher Adam Ockelford.

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06/27/2006

7:30PM

Headline Saturday - Domestic Violence Protective Orders

Half hour discussion regarding protective orders in domestic violence cases. Guests included Steve Bizzel, sheriff, Johnston County and a domestic violence victim.

60:00

06/27/2006

10PM

48 HOURS MYSTERY: "Strange Truth" - in the early morning hours of March 21, 2003, Romona "Mona" Krotine left an office party just outside Cleveland, Ohio, and was never seen alive again. Nearly 24 hours later, she was found in the trunk of her car, beaten and shot to death. At first, police suspected a botched robbery because Mona was carrying the cash receipts from working at a concession earlier that day. Subsequently, Mona's husband, Jeffrey, began acting suspiciously, and the focus of the police investigation shifted to a domestic murder. Authorities believed that Mona had actually returned home after the party and that Jeffrey, having killed her, attempted to cover up the crime by destroying evidence, including portions of bedroom carpet and a large headboard. The case, largely circumstantial, went to trial twice, both times resulting in a hung jury. The jury at a third trial found Krotine not guilty. Officially, the murder of Mona Krotine remains an open case, but Jeff Krotine can never be retried for his wife's murder.

OTHER LOCAL SPECIALS/SPECIAL REPORTS (other programming aired in the public's interest):

30:00

04/03/2006

7PM

"Class of '86"

In this half-hour special, Jeff Gravley takes a look back at the Duke basketball players that stayed with Coach K four years and in 1986 made it to the NCAA Tournament Championship game...only to lose. Team members reflect on what that relationship meant to them at the time and how it affects them even now.

30:00

04/19/2006

7PM

Focal Point: Citizen Soldier

"*Citizen Soldier*" takes you inside the life of a typical National Guard family to examine how spouses and children cope with deployments. It looks at the difficult adjustment a family has to make going from life as a typical civilian family to life as a military family. "*Citizen Soldier*" also examines how well companies across North Carolina are supporting their Guard and Reserve employees. It looks at the broad and diverse base of support that has evolved since 9/11 to help Guard and Reserve families face the challenges created by long deployments. Finally, the documentary looks at the dramatic change in the role of the Guard and Reserve that has occurred since 9/11 and whether service as a citizen soldier will ever return to the one weekend a month, two weeks a year commitment it once was or if it will continue to include long and repeated deployments to war zones. WRAL News anchor Debra Morgan hosts Focal Point: "*Citizen Soldier*".

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WRAListens to Nash County

A select panel and diverse group of Nash County residents participated in an informal town meeting, facilitated by former WRAL News anchor Charlie Gaddy. The WRAListens Tour is a series of televised town meetings throughout/covering the WRAL viewing area to discuss community issues and how WRAL can address these issues in daily newscasts and public affairs programming.

2:00 05/12/2006 6PM

Prisoner Cost

Last night we reported how lawmakers directed emergency money to the Department of Correction to help cover rising healthcare costs. Privacy laws prevent us from identifying inmate health records. We CAN tell you how much each is costing taxpayers.

2:00 05/22/2006 ALL AM

Extraordinary People

It's estimated more than 20 percent of North Carolina high school students smoke. Chad says he is especially proud of friends at school he has convinced to stop smoking. But he's still working on his grandma.

2:00 05/23/2006 6PM

Cell Phone Ban?

On the phone and in the car? **HANG IT UP!** State lawmakers are talking about banning drivers from using cell phones! One target: teenagers! A study found they are 4-times more distracted on the phone than adults. WRAL's Cullen Browder is live with more on the proposal.

30:00 05/25/2006 7PM

"Sex, Lies and Education"

Where do most teenagers learn about sex? Some say from home, school, TV, Internet, friends -- but are they getting accurate information? Hosted by Debra Morgan, this half hour special examines what teens know about sex education and teen pregnancy.

30:00 06/14/2006 OTHER

Focal Point: "Paper Thin Promise"

This documentary looks at how domestic violence protective orders sometimes fail to protect victims of abuse and what can be done about it.

2:00 06/22/2006 5PM

Carolina Beach Development

Carolina Beach is a town in transition. Demolished landmarks like Ocean Plaza, which some call the home of the Shag, signal that change. The old bars and bingo parlors on the boardwalk fade into a new era.